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### ALLEGANY REPORTS 150 NEW COVID CASES, 2 ADDITIONAL DEATHS

CUMBERLAND, MD – The Allegheny County Health Department reports 150 new COVID cases in Allegheny County and two additional deaths since Wednesday. This brings the county’s cumulative case count to 5,524 with 156 deaths. The current case rate in Allegheny County is 49.5 cases per 100,000 population, while Maryland’s state average is currently 42.82 cases per 100,000 population. Allegheny’s positivity rate is now at 11.13%, while the statewide average is 9.47%.

Need a COVID-19 test? If you are planning to come to the Allegheny County Fairgrounds for FREE drive-thru testing, you can now PRE-REGISTER online to shorten your time at intake at the testing clinic. Go to <https://mako.exchange/scheduler/registration/?location=2717> to pre-register, and then show your Booking ID Number at the drive-thru testing site to be directed to the rapid-pass lane. Please note that everyone in your vehicle who is being tested must be pre-registered through this system to use the rapid-pass lane.

Whether you pre-register or choose to complete registration at the testing clinic, you will now be able to access your results conveniently online.

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